

KABI

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-16-63

Call letters KABI

Station location Abilene, Kansas

KABI, INC. (AL 3-3-67 EFF: 4-1-67)

Name of licensee XMYMAN N. AND WILLA M. SCHNEPP, JOINT TENANTS

Transmitter location S. Side of County Hwy. 448, .25 mi. W. of U.S. Rt. 40, Abilene, Kansas (BP 12-10-62)

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Main studio location Sunflower Hotel Bldg., 409 N.W. 3rd Street, Abilene, Kansas (BRC 3-4-63)  
XTo be determined, Abilene, Kansas (BP 12-10-62)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BP-14587	12-10-62	1560kc	250w	Day	2-10 8-10-63
	CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'l				
BP-14587 (1)	2-4-63	Mod. of CP(BP-14587) to assign Call Letters.			
BRC-2205 (2)	3-4-63	Mod. of CP(BP-14,587) to specify studio location as Sunflower Hotel Building, 409 N.W. 3rd Street, Abilene, Kansas and operate transmitter by remote control from studios.			
BL-10,048	8-16-63	1560kc	250w	Day	8-16 6-1-65
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-15,587 as mod) which auth. a new standard b/c station. (Type trans. spec. as COLLINS, 300-J2). COND'L				
BR-4277	5-4-65	Renewal of license			6-1 6-1-68
BAL-5970 EFF:	3-3-67 4-1-67)	Voluntary assignment of license to KABI, INC.			
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	142w (WQXR Protected Station)		
BR-4277(L)	5-28-68	Renewal of License			6-1-71
BZ-7009(1)	12-9-68	Direct Meas.			
BR-4277(L)	5-27-71	RENEWAL			6-1-74
FRSA	6-12-72				
BR-4277(S)	5-31-74	Renewal			6-1-77
BTC-7615	12-24-74	Vol. TC	Cons. 12-31-74	EFF: 1-1-75	
BR-4277(L)	5-10-77	RENEWAL			6-1-80
BR 800201 VX	5-22-80	(S)	RENEWAL		
					6-1-83



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters new KABIName WYMAN N. AND WILLA M. SCHNEPP, JOINT TENANTS  
ABILENE, KANSAS (P.O. Box 390, Marysville, Kansas)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-14,587	12-9-60	Construction Permit for a new standard	GRANTED	12-10-62
Rec'd	12-23-60	broadcast station to be operated on:	Cond'l re: D-14419,	
Filed	12-23-60	Frequency - 1560kc	Section. 3.87 of the	
		Power - 250w	Comm. Rules.	
		Hours of operation - Daytime	After Hearing	
		Trans. location - S. Side of County Hwy. 448	Docket No. 14719	
		.25 mi. W. of U. S. Route 40	Order Issued.	
		Abilene, Kansas		
		Studio location - To be determined		
		Abilene, Kansas		
		Atty.- McKenna and Wilkinson		
		Eng.- Silliman, Moffet and Rohrer		



Collins 20-V



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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters KABIName WYMAN N. AND VILLA M. SCHNEPP, JOINT TENANTS  
Abilene, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-2205 Rec'd Filed	2-4-63 2-12-63 2-12-63	Modification of construction permit (BP-14,587) to specify studio location as SUNFLOWER HOTEL BUILDING, 409 N.W. 3RD STREET, ABILENE, KANSAS and operate transmitter by Remote Control from studios. Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	3-4-63
BL-10,048 R. & F. PROC. TEST 4-5-63	3-24-63 3-27-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-14,587 as mod) which auth a new standard broadcast station. (Type transmitter specified as Collins, 300-J2).	GRANTED	8-16-63 COND'L re sunrise operation precluded.
BR-4277 R & F	1/31/65 3/5/65	Renewal of license Atty. McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	5-4-65
EAL-5970 R & F	1-21-67 1-24-67	Voluntary assignment of license to KABI, INC. Atty - McKenna & Wilkinson (R. Coll)	GRANTED EFF:	3-3-67 4-1-67



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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K A B I

Name KABI, INC.  
Abilene, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4277 R & F MAR 3 1968	2-1-68 2-28-68	Renewal of License AMENDED 3-25-68 re: Section II resubmitted	GRANTED	5-28-68
BZ-7009 R & F DM DEC 3 1968	10/28/68 10/30/68 11/12/68	Direct Meas.  Engr: Rea Bowman	GRANTED	12-9-68
BR-4277 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 1 1971	2-15-71 2-19-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 4-9-71 re: commercial practices; business interest	GRANTED	5-27-71



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Letters K A B I

Name KABI, INC.  
Abilene, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4277 R & F P.N. PRESS	2-11-74 3-4-74 3-4-74 MAR 1974	Renewal of License  Atty.: William J. Potts, Jr. AMENDED 4-5-74 re: ascertainment of community needs	GRANTED	5-31-74
BTC-7615 R & F FEE PD: \$250 # 370839 CODE 047 (FORM 316) ALSO SEE FM DEC 16 1974	11-27-74 12-5-74    DEC 16 1974	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Norton E. & Diana H. Warner to KIMB, Inc. MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BTC-7614 (KIMB) and BTC-7616 (KRLN, AM, FM)  Atty - Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED EFF: 1-1-75 CONS. 12-31-74	12-24-74
BR-4277 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-17-77 1-27-77 " FEB 28 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  AMENDED 4-15-77 re: engineering  John Wells King, Atty.	GRANTED	5-10-77







## About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

